

When a thing goes on and on, we say it **continues**.

In Book 18, you began reading a continued story about Sam, Ann, Walter, and the

- King of China.
- Roundabouts.
- golden fleece.

Roundabouts

title

**The Roundabouts' Secret** is the  title  middle  end of the story.

chapters

This story is divided into ch\_\_pters.

title

Each chapter has its own t\_\_tle.

2.

After you finished each chapter of the story, you

- 1. began a new book.
- 2. went on to the next chapter.
- 3. turned the book over.

3.

This book begins with Chapter 18 of the story.

What was the number of the last chapter you read?

- 1. Chapter 1
- 2. Chapter 18
- 3. Chapter 17

1.

**The Roundabouts' Secret** is continued in this book. In other words, the story

- 1. goes on in this book.
- 2. ended in the last book.

story

In case you have forgotten what happened in the first half of **The Roundabouts' Secret**, the story is quickly retold below.

house

Sam, Ann, and Walter paid a visit to the Roundabouts' house



hou\_\_\_\_, but they found no one at home.

key

While waiting for the Roundabouts to come home, Ann discovered a silver



k\_\_\_\_\_.

door

Walter used this key to open a



d\_\_\_\_\_

in the Roundabouts' kitchen.

stairs

On the other side of the door, the children found a long flight of



\_\_\_\_\_ ai \_\_\_\_\_.

thread

Ann saw that Mrs. Roundabout must have dropped a spool of



th\_\_\_\_\_ at the top of the stairs.

thread

The children followed the \_\_\_\_\_ read down the

st\_\_\_\_\_s and came out in a lovely meadow.

stairs

There they discovered a monster with the

man

head of a m\_\_\_\_\_ , the body of a

tiger

\_\_\_\_\_iger, and the \_\_\_\_\_s of an

wings

eagle.

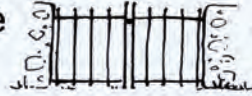


kingdom

monster's

gate

Between an enchanted kingdom\_\_\_ and the outside world stood a huge gate. It was the \_\_\_nster's job to bar the \_\_\_\_\_.



enchanted

The children earned the right to enter the \_\_\_chanted kingdom by performing three tasks.

forest

On the other side of the gate, the children found an enchanted \_\_\_\_\_ f\_\_\_\_\_.



hedge

They followed the thread into the forest until they came upon a high and thorny

- \_\_\_hedge.
- \_\_\_badge.
- \_\_\_edge.



thread

Still following the t\_\_\_\_\_, the children crawled under the \_\_\_edge.

hedge

hedge

On the other side of the h\_\_\_\_\_, the children found an old \_\_\_\_\_.

house



ghost

When they went into the house, the children saw what seemed to be a \_\_\_\_\_ gh\_\_\_\_\_.



boy



The ghost turned out to be a young  
b\_\_\_\_ dressed in a sheet.

name

The boy's n\_\_\_\_\_ was Bumble.

wizard

He told the children that the house belonged  
to a \_\_\_\_\_ wiz\_\_\_\_\_ who was not at  
home.



helper

Bumble said that he was the wizard's h\_\_\_\_\_per.

bread

First Bumble gave the children a dinner of \_\_\_\_\_ br\_\_\_\_\_d  
and \_\_\_\_\_ ch\_\_\_\_\_.



cheese

kitchen

Then he let them spend the night  
in the k\_\_\_\_\_.



thread

In the middle of the night, Sam woke up and wondered  
what had happened to the \_\_\_\_\_.



door

The children found that the thread led under  
another \_\_\_\_\_.



key

Once again, Walter used the silver \_\_\_\_\_  
to open the door.

